

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
FOREST SERVICE  
BOISE NATIONAL FOREST  
MOUNTAIN HOME RANGER DISTRICT

**AREA CLOSURE**  
*Elk Flat Campground Flood Damage*  
*For Public Safety*

**PROHIBITIONS**

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50 (a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited on the National Forest System lands described in this Order, within the administrative boundaries of the Mountain Home Ranger District, Boise National Forest. This Order will be in effect when signed and shall remain in effect until **June 15th, 2017**, unless rescinded earlier by the Forest Supervisor.

1. Going into or being upon the Area described below. **36 CFR 261.53(e)**
2. Parking or leaving a vehicle in violation of posted instructions. **36 CFR 261.58(g)**

**EXEMPTIONS**

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this Order:

1. Persons with a special use authorization or other Forest Service authorization specifically exempting them from the effect of this Order.
2. Any Federal, State, or local law enforcement officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.
3. Federal or State administrative personnel in the performance of an official duty.
4. The construction contractor and their employees and agents while doing work related to the area rehabilitation.

**AREA DESCRIBED**

**The Elk Flat Campground Area is described as** the entire campground including all interior roads and to the high water mark of the South Fork of the Boise River located at Township 2 North, Range 10 East, Section 5, NW1/4, with a point of Lat: 43.5381', Long: -115.2934'.

The above described campground is located along Forest Highway 61 within the Mountain Home Ranger District, Boise National Forest, Boise Meridian, Elmore County, ID.

**PURPOSE**

The Area described above has been affected by flood waters from the South Fork of the Boise River and must be closed to all public access to provide for public safety. This Area will remain closed until it is determined to be safe for public occupancy and this Closure Order is rescinded,

**IMPLEMENTATION**

1. This Order will be in effect when signed and shall remain in effect **until June 15th, 2017**, unless rescinded earlier by the Forest Supervisor.
2. A map identifying the above-described Area is attached to and made part of this Order.
3. Any violation of this Order is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5000 for an individual or \$10,000 for an organization, and/or imprisonment for not more than six months [Title 16 USC 551, Title 18 USC 3571(b)(6), Title 18 USC 3581 (b)(7)].
4. This Order supersedes any previous orders/notices for the above-described roads or portions thereof.
5. Further information regarding this Order may be obtained at the Mountain Home Ranger District Office, Mountain Home, ID, telephone number 208-587-7961, and at the Boise National Forest Supervisor's Office, Boise, ID, telephone number 208-373-4007.

Done at Boise, Idaho this 12th day of May 2017.

  
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